



In re Application of:

MASANOBU FUNAKOSHII

Application No.: 09/491,867

Filed: January 27, 2000

For: INFORMATION RETRIEVING APPARATUS  
AND METHOD THEREFOR, AND MEMORY  
MEDIUM STORING PROGRAM THEREFOR

Docket No. 03500.014210

Examiner: B. To

Group Art Unit: 2172

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Date: April 22, 2003 Technology Center 2100

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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Name of Attorney for Applicant

Signature

Date of Signature

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 23	MINUS	** 23	= -0-	x \$9 \$18	-0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	*** 3	= -0-	x \$42 \$84	-0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						-0-

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☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 410.00 to cover the fee for a two month extension is enclosed.

☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 22, 2002, the period for response having been extended two months from February 22, 2003 to April 22, 2002 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time with fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

This amendment is submitted under the guidelines of the revised format announced in the attached notice

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